Wildlife and Hunting Heritage Conservation Council

February 5 & 6 2013 Meeting Agenda Room 104A USDA Whitten Building, Washington D.C.

Tuesday February 5

7:30-8am Refreshments
8-8:10am Roll Call and Agenda Discussion –*Tomke*

8:10-9:40am Wildlife Health: Current and Emerging Threats – Jonathan Sleeman (USGS) & Panel

- Overview and examples (brucellosis, bighorn sheep pneumonia, etc.)
- Management Implications

9:40-10:30am Wildlife Health: Captive Reared Mallards – Disease, Genetics, & Management Concerns

- Report Briefing Paul Padding (FWS)
- State perspective Regan (AFWA)

10:30-10:45am Break

10:45-11:30am Wildlife Health: Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD)

- Overview Patrice Klein (APHIS)
- CWD Rule Regan (AFWA)

11:30-12:30pm Lunch

12:30-12:50pm Sportsmen's Community Involvement on BLM Resource Advisory Councils - Kania

12:50-1:50pm Subcommittee and workgroup updates

- Farm Bill Nomsen
- Energy Franklin
- Funding Prukop
- Recruitment and Retention Model
- Coordination Williams
- State Updates Regan (AFWA)

1:50-2:30pm Funding/Legislative Updates

- Farm Bill Nomsen
- Sportsmens Act Crane
- Budget/Sequestration

2:30-3:30pm Conservation Targets for the Administration: The Next Four Years – *Tomke*

3:30-3:50pm 2011 National Survey on Hunting, Angling, and Wildlife Associated Recreation – (FWS)

3:50-4:10pm CITES Updates

Leopard Trophies Conference of the Parties Update – (FWS)

• Polar Bear – *Regan* (AFWA)

4:10-4:30pm Wild Horses and Burros on Public Lands Update – Joan Guilfoyle (BLM)

4:30-5pm Discussion 5pm **Adjourn**

Wednesday February 6

7:30-8am Refreshments

8-8:10am Roll Call and Agenda Discussion

8:10-10:10am Wildlife Health: Lead and Wildlife Populations

• Overview – Jonathan Sleeman (USGS)

• AFWA Workgroup

• California Condor Recovery – John McCamman (FWS)

• Lead Alternative Ammunition – Sanetti

10:10-10:30am Break

10:30-11:30 Ten Year Plan Status Review – Franklin

11:30-12pm Public Comment

12-1pm Discussion1pm Adjourn